OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF LABOUR IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR BANGALORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1947.

A Rise of 5 Points.

The working class Cost of Living Index Number for Bangalore City for the month of January 1947, works upto 251·1 which is higher than the previous month's figure by 5·0 points.

The Index Number of the Food group, as compared with the previous month has advanced by 7·4 points to 279·5 points owing to a rise in the prices of Avaredhal, Coffee seeds, Onions, Vegetables, Fruits, Gingelly Oil, Groundnut oil, Salt, Cocoanut, Tamarind, Chillies and Coriander.

The Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting group rose by 1·7 points to 205·9 points, on account of rise in the price of castor oil.

A further increase in the price of supari resulted in the rise of Index number of Miscellaneous group by 4·8 points to 274·8 points.

The Index Number of Clothing and House Rent groups remained constant.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100)

Articles	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average prices per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	December 1946	January 1947	Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Raw Rice	... Seer (Msr.)	14·0	0 2 2	0 4 7	0 4 7	212	212
Boiled Rice	... ,,	22·6	0 2 3	0 4 7	0 4 7	204	204
Ragi	... ,,	6·6	0 1 1	0 2 8	0 2 8	246	246
Blackgram Dhal	... ,,	0·7	0 3 1	0 10 8	0 10 8	346	346
Tur Dhal	... ,,	3·4	0 2 8	0 10 8	0 10 8	400	400
Bengalgram Dhal	... ,,	1·4	0 2 11	0 6 9	0 6 9	231	231
Avare Dhal	... ,,	0·6	0 2 7	0 11 6	0 12 6	445	484
Greengram	... ,,	1·2	0 2 0	0 7 8	0 7 6	383	375
Sugar (Wt.)	... Seer	1·9	0 1 4	0 2 8	0 2 8	200	200
Jaggery	... Viss	1·9	0 3 6	0 12 9	0 12 9	364	364
Coffee seeds (Wt.)	... Seer	1·4	0 3 11	0 11 2	0 12 0	285	306
Meat (Weight)	2 lbs.	7·2	0 7 0	1 14 0	1 14 0	429	429
Curds	... Seer (Msr.)	1·9	0 1 7	0 4 0	0 4 0	253	253
Milk	... ,,	6·1	0 3 7	0 6 5	0 6 5	179	179
Ghee (Wt.)	... ,,	2·7	0 6 0	1 1 4	1 1 0	289	283
Onions	... Viss	1·0	0 1 3	0 7 5	0 9 1	593	727
Vegetables	... ,,	5·6	0 2 6	0 9 9	0 10 11	390	437
Fruits	... Doz.	0·9	0 2 0	0 3 9	0 4 0	188	200
Gingelly oil (Wt.)	... Seer	2·5	0 2 0	0 6 9	0 7 2	338	358
Groundnut oil	... ,,	0·4	0 1 8	0 5 7	0 5 10	335	350
Salt (Measure)	... ,,	1·1	0 1 3	0 1 8	0 1 9	133	140
Cocoanut	... Each	1·0	0 1 0	0 4 3	0 4 6	425	450
Tamarind	... Viss	0·9	0 3 3	0 10 3	0 10 7	315	326
Chillies	... ,,	2·0	0 7 4	2 0 6	2 7 5	443	538
Coriander (Measure)	... Seer	1·3	0 1 5	0 8 2	0 8 4	576	588
Garlic (Wt.)	... ,,	0·7	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 4 0	200	200
Wheat Flour (Wt.)	... ,,	1·4	0 0 8	0 1 1	0 1 1	163	163
Soji (Measure)	... ,,	1·3	0 2 5	0 7 6	0 7 6	310	310
Ready made coffee	... Cup	6·3	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number of all Food Articles					...	272·1	279·5
Fuel and Lighting—							
Firewood	... Maund	72·0	0 2 6	0 4 11	0 4 11	197	197
Castor Oil (Wt.)	... Seer	7·7	0 1 11	0 6 9	0 7 2	352	374
Kerosene Oil	... Bottle	16·0	0 2 1	0 3 3	0 3 3	156	156
Match Boxes of 50 sticks	Dozen.	4·3	0 2 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	240	240
Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Fuel and Lighting						204·2	205·9
Clothing—							
Dhoties	Pair of 8 yards.	14·6	2 0 9	3 13 3	3 13 3	187	187
Coating	... Per Yard	22·5	0 5 6	0 10 9	0 10 9	195	195
Shirting	... ,,	21·5	0 4 0	0 7 6	0 7 6	188	188
Cloth for Pyjamas, etc.	,,	3·0	0 4 0	0 10 1	0 10 1	252	252
Sarees	... Each	22·4	3 0 0	6 12 0	6 12 0	225	225
Cloth for Jackets, etc.	Yard	16·0	0 5 0	0 9 10	0 9 10	197	197
Total	...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Clothing						201·1	201·1
House rent—							
House rent	...	100·0	2 10 3	2 10 3	2 10 3	100	100
	Total	100·0					
Index Number—House rent						100	100

Article	Unit of quantity	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Average prices per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	December 1946	January 1947	Index Number: December 1946	January 1947
Miscellaneous—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Shaving	... 1 Shave	13·0	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
Washing soap	... 1 Bar	17·5	0 4 0	0 13 9	0 13 9	344	344
Supari	... Seer Wt.	8·4	0 3 6	0 15 11	1 1 11	455	512
Beedi	Bundle of 25	11·2	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
Amusement	... 1 Show	8·4	0 2 0	0 3 9	0 3 9	188	188
Education	... ...	5·0	0 2 0	0 4 6	0 4 6	225	225
Medicine	Bottle of mixture	8·3	0 4 0	0 7 0	0 7 0	175	175
Flowers	One bunch	5·7	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
Household Necessaries	Seer Wt.	22·5	0 5 0	0 15 7	0 15 7	312	312
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Miscellaneous ...						270·0	274·8

Group	Weight proportional to the total expenditure	Group Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
Food	53·5	272·1	279·5
Fuel and Lighting	7·0	204·2	205·9
Clothing	13·8	201·1	201·1
House Rent	6·4	100·0	100·0
Miscellaneous	19·3	270·0	274·8
Total ...	100·0	...	...
Cost of Living Index Number ...	...	246·1	251·1

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR KOLAR GOLD FIELDS AREA FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1947.

A Rise of 3·4 points.

The cost of Living Index number of working classes in Kolar Gold Fields Area for the month of January 1947, works up to 259·6 recording a rise of 3·4 points over the previous month's figures.

As compared with the previous month, the index number of the food group advanced by 3·4 points to 274·8 on account of a rise in the prices of blackgram dhal, avaredhal, onions, ghee, cocoanut, chillies, tamarind, coriander and garlic.

The Index Number of Fuel and Lighting group declined by 1·2 points to 226·9 due to a fall in the price of castor oil.

A rise in the prices of soapnut powder, supari and flowers resulted in the rise of the index number of the Miscellaneous group by 8·7 points to 271·5.

The Index Numbers of the Clothing and the House Rent group remained stationary.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936 = 100).

	Names of the articles	Unit of quantity	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	December 1946	January 1947	Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
Food.—				Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
	Raw Rice ...	Seer measure	3·5	0 2 0	0 4 7	0 4 7	229	229
2	Boiled rice ...	,,	36·9	0 2 1	0 4 7	0 4 7	220	220
3	Ragi ...	,,	11·1	0 0 11	0 2 8	0 2 8	291	291
4	Blackgram Dhal ...	,,	0·4	0 2 11	0 9 8	0 9 10	331	337
5	Tur Dhal ...	,,	4·2	0 2 8	0 10 5	0 9 10	391	369
6	Bengalgram Dhal ...	,,	0·8	0 1 11	0 6 10	0 6 9	357	352
7	Avare Dhal ...	,,	0·6	0 2 1	0 11 7	0 11 8	556	560
8	Greengram ...	,,	0·6	0 1 11	0 7 2	0 7 2	374	374
9	Sugar ...	Seer wt.	0·5	0 1 4	0 2 10	0 2 10	213	213
10	Jaggery ...	Viss	2·8	0 3 3	0 12 9	0 12 9	392	392
11	Coffee seeds ...	Seer wt.	1·8	0 4 0	0 9 7	0 9 0	240	225
12	Fish ...	,,	2·1	0 3 6	0 6 0	0 6 0	171	171
13	Meat ...	2 Lbs. wt.	9·0	0 8 0	1 8 0	1 8 0	300	300
14	Milk ...	Seer measure	2·8	0 3 3	0 4 10	0 4 7	149	141
15	Curds ...	,,	0·6	0 2 0	0 4 0	0 2 8	200	133
16	Onions ...	Viss	0·8	0 1 4	0 6 5	0 12 0	481	900
17	Ghee ...	Seer wt.	1·1	0 6 0	0 10 5	0 14 3	174	238
18	Gingelly oil ...	,,	3·2	0 2 0	0 7 4	0 6 0	367	300
19	Cocoanut ...	Each	0·8	0 1 2	0 3 7	0 4 0	307	343
20	Groundnut oil ...	Seer wt.	0·6	0 1 7	0 5 3	0 4 8	332	295
21	Salt ...	Seer measure	1·3	0 1 2	0 1 9	0 1 9	150	150
22	Chillies ...	Viss	4·0	0 7 8	2 1 7	2 7 0	438	509
23	Tamarind ...	,,	1·4	0 2 7	0 5 8	0 6 0	219	232
24	Coriander ...	Seer measure	1·2	0 1 4	0 7 11	0 8 0	594	600
25	Garlic ...	Seer wt.	0·6	0 2 0	0 3 5	0 3 10	171	192
26	Sojee ...	Seer measure	0·3	0 2 5	0 7 6	0 7 6	310	310
27	Vegetables ...	Viss	3·8	0 3 0	0 9 0	0 9 0	300	300
28	Ready made coffee ...	Cup	3·2	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 0	200	200
	Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number of all food articles ...				...	...	...	271·4	274·8

Names of the articles	Unit of quantity	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	December 1946	January 1947	Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
Fuel and Lighting.—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	75·1	0 2 0	4 7	0 4 7	229	229
2 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	7·8	0 2 3	0 8 10	0 8 6	393	378
3 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	12·1	0 2 3	0 3 3	0 3 3	144	144
4 Match box of 50 sticks.	Dozen	5·0	0 3 9	0 6 0	0 6 0	160	160
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number of Fuel and Lighting ...		..	...	...	...	228·1	226·9
Clothing.—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair of 8 yards.	9·3	2 1 0	3 13 3	3 13 3	186	186
2 Cloth for Pyjamas, etc.	Yard	1·7	0 4 4	0 10 1	0 10 1	233	233
3 Coating ...	,,	20·4	0 6 5	0 10 9	0 10 9	168	168
4 Shirting ...	,,	14·7	0 5 0	0 7 4	0 7 4	147	147
5 Sarees ...	Each	39·4	3 3 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	204	204
6 Cloth for jackets, etc...	Yard	14·5	0 5 3	0 9 10	0 9 10	187	187
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number of Clothing ...		...	...	...	...	184·6	184·6
House Rent.—							
1 House rent ...		100·0	0 10 9	0 10 9	0 10 9	100·0	100·0
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number of House Rent ...		..	...	...	...	100·0	100·0
Miscellaneous.—							
1 Barber ...	One shave	14·5	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
2 Soap for washing ...	Bar	20·0	0 4 3	0 13 9	0 13 9	324	324
3 Soapnut powder ...	Seer wt.	5·2	0 1 1	0 4 2	0 5 0	385	462
4 Supari ...	,,	14·1	0 3 3	0 15 8	1 0 0	482	49
5 Beedies ...	Bundle of 25	15·7	0 1 0	0 1 9	0 1 9	175	175
6 Travelling expenses ...	.....	6·7	0 4 2	0 4 2	0 4 2	100	100
7 Flowers ...	1 bunc	3·9	0 0 6	0 1 0	0 1 5	200	283
8 Amusements ...	1 show	9·1	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
9 Charges for grinding ...	For 2 seers.	6·1	0 0 2	0 0 3	0 0 3	150	150
10 Household necessaries.	Seer wt.	5·7	0 5 0	0 15 7	0 15 7	312	312
	Total ...	100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index number—Miscellaneous ...		...	...	...	...	262·8	271·5

Group	Weight proportional to total expenditure	Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
1 Food ...	70·9	271·4	274·8
2 Fuel and lighting ...	6·2	228·1	226·9
3 Clothing ...	9·1	184·6	184·6
4 House rent ...	2·1	100·0	100·0
5 Miscellaneous ...	11·7	262·8	271·5
Total ...	100·0	..	..
Cost of Living Index number ...	...	256·2	259·6

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WORKING CLASS COST OF LIVING INDEX NUMBER FOR MYSORE CITY FOR THE MONTH OF JANUARY 1947.

A rise of 5·4 points.

The working class cost of Living Index number for Mysore City for the month of January 1947, works up to 243·3 which is higher than the previous month's figure by 5·4 points.

As compared with the previous month, the Index Number of the Food group advanced by 8·4 points to 267·5 on account of a rise in the prices of coriander, onions, chillies, coffee seeds and ghee.

The Index Number of the Fuel and Lighting group rose by 1·0 point to 193·0 due to an increase in the price of castor oil.

A fall in the price of saries resulted in the fall of the index number of the clothing group by 2·1 points to 174·0.

A rise in the prices of soapnut powder and supari accounted for a rise in the Index number of the Miscellaneous group by 1·6 points to 239·8.

The index number of House rent group remained stationary.

(Average prices from July 1935 to June 1936=100).

Name of the Articles	Unit of quantity	Weights proportional to total expenditure	Average price per unit of quantity: Year ended June 1936	December 1946	January 1947	Index Numbers: December 1946	January 1947
Food—			Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		
1 Raw Rice ...	Seer measure	23·4	0 2 0	0 4 7	0 4 7	229	229
2 Ragi ...	,,	17·7	0 1 2	0 2 8	0 2 8	229	229
3 Tur Dhal ...	,,	5·5	0 2 9	0 9 10	0 9 10	358	358
4 Avare Dhal ...	,,	1·7	0 2 1	0 11 11	0 11 11	572	572
5 Bengalgram Dhal	,,	1·6	0 2 0	0 6 9	0 6 9	338	338
6 Greengram ...	,,	1·5	0 1 10	0 8 0	0 8 0	436	436
7 Salt ...	,,	1·1	0 1 3	0 2 1	0 2 0	167	160
8 Coriander ...	,,	1·8	0 1 3	0 7 2	0 7 5	573	593
9 Milk ...	,,	3·9	0 4 0	0 5 4	0 5 4	133	133
10 Curds ...	,,	2·8	0 2 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	100	100
11 Wheat ...	,,	1·2	0 2 3	0 4 0	0 4 0	178	178
12 Meat ...	2 lbs. wt.	10·3	0 8 0	1 6 0	1 6 0	275	275
13 Vegetables ...	Viss	5·3	0 2 8	0 9 6	0 9 5	356	353
14 Onions ...	,,	1·8	0 1 6	0 8 2	0 11 1	544	739
15 Jaggery ...	,,	1·5	0 4 4	0 12 9	0 12 9	294	294
16 Chillies ...	,,	3·4	0 7 6	1 0 11	1 11 7	226	368
17 Tamarind ...	,,	1·0	0 2 9	0 9 11	0 9 9	361	355
18 Sugar ...	Seer wt.	1·6	0 1 4	0 2 8	0 2 8	200	200
19 Coffee seeds ...	,,	2·0	0 5 1	0 11 0	0 11 7	216	228
20 Ghee ...	,,	1·5	0 6 9	0 11 6	0 11 7	170	172
21 Groundnut oil ...	,,	1·2	0 1 4	0 5 7	0 5 6	419	413
22 Garlic ...	,,	0·6	0 2 0	0 3 4	0 2 10	167	142
23 Cocoanut ...	Each	1·3	0 1 2	0 3 9	0 3 8	321	314
24 Ready made coffee	Cup	6·3	0 0 9	0 1 0	0 1 0	133	133
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Numbers of all food articles ...		..	...	...	..	259·1	267·5
Fuel and Lighting.—							
1 Firewood ...	Maund	84·0	0 2 3	0 4 6	0 4 6	200	200
2 Kerosene Oil ...	Bottle	10·8	0 2 4	0 3 3	0 3 3	139	139
3 Castor Oil ...	Seer wt.	2·8	0 2 3	0 7 9	0 8 7	344	381
4 Matches ...	Dozen (50s)	2·4	0 3 4	0 6 0	0 6 0	180	180
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index No.—Fuel and Lighting ...		...	...	...	...	197·0	198·0
Clothing—							
1 Dhoties ...	Pair	8·1	2 1 9	3 13 3	3 13 3	181	181
2 Coatings	Yard	21·6	0 6 1	0 10 11	0 10 11	179	179
3 Shirtings ...	,,	18·3	0 4 3	0 7 2	0 7 2	169	169
4 Cloth for Pyjamas etc.,	,,	4·8	0 4 11	0 9 6	0 9 6	193	193
5 Cloth for Jackets etc.,	,,	12·0	0 5 4	0 9 10	0 9 10	184	184
6 Sarees ...	Each	35·2	4 7 0	7 10 0	7 6 0	172	166
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	..
Index Numbers of clothing ...		...	...	...	...	176·1	174·0
House Rent—							
House rent per month...		100	1 7 2	1 7 2	1 7 2	100	100
Total ...		100·0		...	...	..	...
Index Number for House rent ...		...	...	...	...	100	100
Miscellaneous—							
1 Barber ...	One shave	12·2	0 1 0	0 1 9	0 1 9	175	175
2 Washing Soap ...	Bar ...	11·7	0 4 0	0 13 9	0 13 9	344	344
3 Soapnut powder ...	Viss ...	5·4	0 6 2	1 7 5	1 8 0	380	389
4 Supari ...	Seer wt....	11·2	0 3 5	0 15 11	1 0 3	466	476
5 Beedies ...	Bundle of 35	3·6	0 1 0	0 2 0	0 2 0	200	200
6 Amusements	One show	11·5	0 2 0	0 3 0	0 3 0	150	150
7 Subscriptions ...	...	9·4	0 11 0	0 11 0	0 11 0	100	100
8 Grinding charges	Seer measure	5·0	0 0 1	0 0 2	0 0 2	200	200
Total ...		100·0	...	...	...	...	...
Index Number—Miscellaneous						238·2	239·8

Group		Weights proportional to total expenditure	Group Index Numbers	
			December 1946	January 1947
(1) Food	...	62·5	259·1	267·5
(2) Fuel and Lighting	...	9·4	197·0	198·0
(3) Clothing	...	8·0	176·1	174·0
(4) House Rent	...	3·3	100·0	100·0
(5) Miscellaneous	...	16·8	238·2	239·8
Total	...	100·0	...	...
Cost of Living Index Number	...	...	237·9	243·3

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OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDENT, GOVERNMENT CENTRAL BOOK DEPOT, BANGALORE.

Notification dated 11th February 1947.

Notification inviting Applications from Book Sellers for Enrolment as "Recognised" Dealers in Government Publications.

Applications in the following form (printed or typewritten) are invited from Book sellers of the State for enrolling themselves as Approved Dealers in Official Publications, Publications of the Education Department and such other school books as are stocked for sale at the Government Central Book Depot, for a period of one year from 1st March 1947. Applications should be forwarded through and recommended by the District Educational Officer of the District where the applicant intends to carry on business so as to reach the Superintendent, Government Central Book Depot, Bangalore, by the 25th of February 1947.

Applicants should, in the event of their being enrolled as such, conform themselves to the following conditions and abide by any rules that may be framed by the Superintendent from time to time in this behalf. Any instance of violation of these would involve deletion of the name of such firm from the approved list without assigning any reason therefor.

Firms or persons who held agencies and are now recognised book sellers of the Government Central Depot should also apply afresh through the District Educational Officers and observe all the formalities specified in this behalf failing which they cease to be dealers in Official and Educational Publications.

Intending applicants should note that,

1. No correspondence, of whatever nature, by them with the Government Central Book Depot shall be on "Service unpaid." Such correspondence "On service unpaid" will not only be taken into account but also liable to be penalized.

2. Books indented for will be sent by goods trains to the nearest Railway Station from the indentor's place of business, the packing, forwarding and transit charges being met by the Superintendent, Government Central Book Depot. Books indented for and of the value of less than Rs. 40 will not be complied with unless specifically intimated that they may be booked by Railway Parcel "To pay" the packing charges being met by the Superintendent as usual. Books required by the approved book sellers to be sent by Railway Parcel or by post will be despatched at the indentors cost.

3. Indents for books will be complied with in the order in which they are received and the Depot will not be responsible for any loss or inconvenience caused by non-receipt of books in time.

4. Books will be sold only on "Non-returnable" basis.

5. Indents for books should be accompanied each time by a Treasury Receipt for the value. Remittances to the Treasuries should be made to the head "XII. Stationery and Printing, 4, Sale Proceeds of Educational Books and Maps" and remittances to heads other than this will not be deemed as proper payment for books indented.

6. Indents received on and after the 26th of the month will be attended to on or after the first of the succeeding month.

7. List of publications stocked in the Depot will be published and supplied to recognised dealers free on requisition. Arrival of new books will be notified from time to time in the *Mysore Gazette.*

8. Facilities must be afforded by approved book sellers to the inspecting officers of the Education Department for inspecting their shops.

9. All approved book sellers will be allowed a commission of 15 per cent on the value of books purchased at a time irrespective of the value of purchases made and not withstanding whether they are official publications or school books and maps.

10. They should carry on business at all reasonable hours of the day and notify at a conspicuous place the prices of all the books available with them for sale and sell them only at prices affixed on the covers or those fixed by the Superintendent.

11. Firms carrying on business at places where there is no Railway Communication should arrange to take delivery of the books at the Government Central Book Depot, three days after the receipt of the indent at the Depot.

12. Only two indents per firm per week will be complied with and no indent will be kept pending in anticipation of books not in stock at the time of the indent is taken up for compliance.

13. The Government Central Book Depot is deemed to have obsolved itself from all responsibility for the consignment of books as soon as they are delivered to the Railway authorities and the concerned Railway Receipt is posted to the correct address of the party as furnished on the indent.

14. All those who have been in the book selling trade at least a year prior to the date of this notification are eligible to apply for enrolment as recognised book sellers

B. KRISHNASWAMY CHETTY, *Supdt.*

FORM OF APPLICATION.

To

The Superintendent,
Government Central Book Depot,
Bangalore.

Through

The District Educational Officer,
.....District,
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Sir,

I tender herewith an application for enrolment as a "Recognised" book seller for the retail sale of departmental publications and books. I have read the rules relating to the above and am willing to abide by them.

Place.....
Date.....

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Signature.

1	Name of applicant (Individual Firm, Society or Company).	.....
2	Town and street in which the Depot will be established.	.....
3	Hours of Business	.....
4	Other line or lines of business undertaken by the applicant or his occupation.	.....
5	Name of partners, manager, directors or secretary in the case of a company.	.....
6	Name and designation of the person authorised to act on behalf of or in the absence of the applicant.	.....
7	Applicants and Proprietors specimen signatures. (Three copies should be given on a separate sheet of paper).	.....
8	Public or semi-public office, if any, which the applicant or any of the partners may be holding.	.....
9	If the applicant is a recognised book seller (Agent) of the Government Central Book Depot, he should state the number of years for which he has held it and state if he is willing to continue it this year also.	.....
10	Certificate or certificates from the local authorities as to his or their *bona fides.*	.....